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Senator Ollie James of Kentucky takes the palm as the boss Democratic spoilsman of the age.

The proof reader didn't give us a square deal yesterday. It should have read:

"The men still let the women suffer but they won't let them have suffrage."

## THE CHEMIST'S COCKTAIL.

Modern organic chemistry has a language of its own. The following is an example from a recent article: "The dianhydride of 1,8,4,5-naphthalenetetracarboxylic acid was heated for three hours at 170 degrees C. with four times its weight of the diethyl-ester of malonic acid, together with twice its weight of zinc chloride, whereby 5,10-diketeto-3,8-dihydroxyphenyl was formed, which on distillation with zinc dust gave pyrene, recognized by its characteristic picro, m. pt. 223 degrees C."

## THE BUCKEYE'S GETTING TOGETHER.

The Reception committee for the Republican "get-together" banquet in Columbus today, Thursday includes the names of such prominent Ohio Bull Moosers as Dan R. Hanna of Cleveland, former Prosecuting Attorney H. C. Webster of Toledo, who was the Progressive candidate for Congress in the Ninth district in 1912; Frank G. Bartholomew of Springfield, who was chairman of the Clark County Progressive committee two years ago, and C. L. Knight of Akron, former State central committee-man from the Nineteenth district.

## CAUSES FOR DIVORCE.

According to Judge Rockford of the Superior Court of Indianapolis, if the divorce evil is to be corrected this country must have fewer automobile rides by husbands and wives with the husbands and wives of others, fewer x-ray gowns and split skirts; frivolous telephone conversation should be reduced to the minimum and young husbands should boast less frequently of their conquests among women. If these rules are followed, Judge Rockford declares, the divorce courts will not have much to do.

Judge Littlepage, in the Kanawha Circuit Court the other day, complained of the vast number of divorce cases that continually demand his attention, saying that some days he had as many as eight cases up before him, and he solicited a committee of the local bar to ascertain if he is empowered with authority to refer divorce proceedings to a Commission. He was advised that he was so empowered.

And now, we wonder how many of the eight-per-day in Judge Littlepage's court grew out of automobile rides, x-ray gowns and split skirts, conversations over the telephones and boasting by young husbands of conquests among women other than "the one woman?" Here's a chance for the expert statistician to get in his work.—(Charleston Mail.

The limit has been reached. They dedicated a new piano in a Newport, Ky., school.

## JUNK IS COSTLY STOCK.

The French have a saying that "It is only the first step which is difficult." He is a bold manager who faces his directors with an apparent reduction of two or three hundred dollars worth of merchandise and gives them an actual five-dollar bill instead, but all this odd stuff clutters up storerooms and costs a pretty penny trying to work in some-where, says a writer in the American Machinist.

I know one concern which had a large contract for some agricultural work that needed about a ton of malleable-iron thumb-nuts which, through some mistake, were not tapped the right size. They were carried on the books for several years at their original cost and then the superintendent of the shop wanted to scrap them, but the manager said no. Months later he was much pleased to tell the superintendent that he could use some of these thumb-nuts. He felt proud that he had not allowed them to be scrapped, but was a little chagrined to find that in order to use them a special die had to be made, which cost about as much as new thumb-nuts and that, after all, less than 100 were required. Then he suddenly remembered that as the mistake was made by the manufacturers of the thumb-nuts, they really did not belong to the company at all, yet they had stood on the inventory as an asset.



## THE DAILY NOVELETTE.

### The Headless Chef.

(Translated from the Russian.)  
Terror reigned in the castle,  
The Czar gave harsh commands;  
This way and that scurried vassals,  
To fill his great demands.

The palace was in a state of bustle, turmoil and confusion.

"Double-lock all casements," roared Czar Nicholas Brummskyovitz in pale terror.

"He rushed hither and yon, to and fro, ever and anon, eye and no, from basement to the pinnacle of the highest turret, giving frantic orders.

"Raise the drawbridge and turn on all the fire extinguishers!" he shrieked (in Russian). "Let every vodka remember the future of his country is at stake!"

For fifteen minutes the air was full of the sound of bolts sliding, windows rattling down, shutters slamming and oaths flying.

Finally all was airtight.

"Now bring Adrev Offovitz, the chef, before me!" commanded the Czar.

It was done.

"Did I hear you say that there was a bomb outside the kitchen door?" quavered Nick.

"No, Your Highness," trembled the chef, "I said a hum. He wanted a slice of coffee and a cup of bread—I mean—"

Mingled with the noise of windows rattling up again and oaths flying back and forth and around, came the sound of the chef being beheaded.—(Louisville Times.

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## LUKE M'LUKE'S BITS OF BYPLAY.

### Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, what is a lame duck?  
Paw—A lame duck is a man who has just discovered that republics are ungrateful, my son.

### Letters.

The man of letters won't abuse  
His I's nor yet his P's and Q's,  
And that is why he gets to be  
A. B. A., or an L. L. D.

### The Loud Talker.

He always butts in on our joys,  
This Big Goat of the herd;  
He's always making lots of noise  
Yet never says a word.

### Well, They Go Together.

(Toledo Blade.)

The feature of the evening was the dance. Miss Semple's grace and ease in executing the many intricate steps of the Argentine tango, hesitation waltz and other modern dances elicited great applause from the onlookers. Miss Sheppard, of the District Nurses' Association, gave a lecture on first aid to the injured.

### Luke McLuke Says.

The most cheerful person in the world isn't the man who has just learned from his wife that he has a habit of talking in his sleep.

The enraptured society reporters all ways say that the groom led the bride to the altar. Just as though she required any leading.

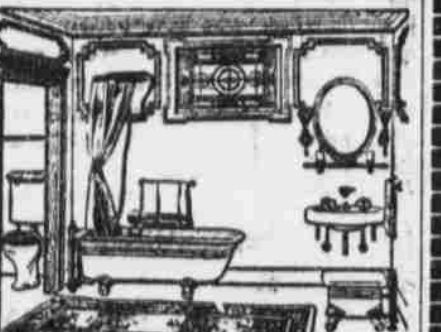
The reason a woman thinks she is entitled to a \$50 set of furs is because her husband is saving \$15 on the silk petticoat she doesn't have to wear.

A wise man always finds out what brand of advice another man wants before he tries to advise him.

When a doctor prescribes whisky for a patient the prescription never has to be renewed.

The reason why political parties flourish is because when a man isn't getting enough pay and is getting too much work, he can always enlist with the party that promises him relief.

Give a woman a good complexion and naturally curly hair in this world and she will take a chance on the wings and the halo in the next world.



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PROVIDENCE, R. I.—"For the benefit of women who suffer as I have done I wish to state what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I did some heavy lifting and the doctor said it caused a displacement. I have always been weak and overworked after my baby was born and inflammation set in, then nervous prostration, from which I did not recover until I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The Compound is my best friend and when I hear of a woman with troubles like mine I try to induce her to take your medicine."—Mrs. S. T. RICHMOND, 199 Waldo Street, Providence, R. I.

## A Minister's Wife Writes:

CLOQUET, MINN.—"I have suffered very much with irregularities, pain and inflammation, but your wonderful medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has made me well and I can recommend the same to all that are troubled with these complaints."—Mrs. JENNIE AKERMAN, c/o Rev. K. AKERMAN, Cloquet, Minnesota.

## From Mrs. J. D. Murdoch, Quincy, Mass.

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LYNN, MASS.—For advice, read and answered with confidence.

The House Naval Affairs Committee approved the Naval Appropriation Bill providing for two new dreadnaughts.

Republican candidates in Christian County have practically abandoned their contest of the election of Democratic officials.

## ITEMS FROM THE RIPLEY BEE.

Dr. J. L. Wylie has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. Ella McCaughey left yesterday for Louisville, Ky., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Shinkle.

Mr. F. M. Greene will celebrate his 82nd birthday next Sunday. He has been a resident of Ripley 61 years.

A squad of the Georgetown militia company has been organized here with Mr. Wayne Buckley in charge with the rank of sergeant.

## "MARCUS F. KEHOE, P. M.

At Maysville, Ky., is The Way It May Soon Read—Appointment Looked For at Any Time.

Washington, February 24.—Representative W. J. Fields, of Olive Hill, Ky. sent to Postmaster-General Burleson to day the recommendation that Mark Kehoe, brother of former Representative J. N. Kehoe, be appointed Postmaster at Maysville, Ky., an office that pays a salary of \$2,500.

Fields made the recommendation upon receipt of a letter informing him that the Postmaster-General had upheld his contention that the terms of Postmasters who have received at least one re-appointment should be reckoned in stretches of four years regardless of the dates on which commissions expire.

It is an important ruling on Burleson's part, and will have an effect on postoffice patronage throughout the country.

Postmaster Clarence Mathews on February 16 had served 16 years in the Maysville office, and Representative Fields contended that this service constituted four full terms. But Mathews' commission does not expire for two years yet. This is due to delays in nominations and confirmations between terms.

